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Remarks/Arguments

This Supplementary Amendment is submitted in following telephone

interviews with Examiner Temesghen Ghebretinsae on April 10, 2006 and April 20, 2006.

The substance of those interviews concerned amending the claims to more clearly describe

the invention detailed in the specification.

Claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12-17, 19-21, 23, 25-27, 29-32, 34-37 are now in the

application. Claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 12-16, 19-21, 23, 25, 27, 29-32, 34, are amended. Claims

2, 4, 6, 8-9, 11, 18, 22, 24, 28, 33 are canceled. Claims 1, 12, 13, 20, 21, 31 and 34 are

independent claims.

Support for the amendment may be found in the specification as published at, for

instance, paragraphs [0014], [0015] and [0036].

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant believes claims 1, 3, 5,

7, 10, 12-17, 19-21, 23, 25-27, 29-32, 34-37 to be patentable and the application to be in

condition for allowance, and respectfully requests issuance of a Notice of Allowance. If any

issues remain, the undersigned requests a telephone interview prior to the issuance of an

action.

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